H. R. 2280

For the relief of Yevgeniya Dobrovolska and Mykola Dobrovolskyy.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 22, 2003

Ms. Eshoo introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

For the relief of Yevgeniya Dobrovolska and Mykola Dobrovolskyy.

1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, **SECTION** 1. **PERMANENT** RESIDENT **STATUS FOR** 4 YEVGENIYA DOBROVOLSKA AND MYKOLA 5 DOBROVOLSKYY. 6 (a) In General.—Notwithstanding subsections (a) and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Yevgeniya Dobrovolska and Mykola Dobrovolskyy 8 shall each be eligible for issuance of an immigrant visa 10 or for adjustment of status to that of an alien lawfully

admitted for permanent residence upon filing an applica-

- 1 tion for issuance of an immigrant visa under section 204
- 2 of such Act or for adjustment of status to lawful perma-
- 3 nent resident.
- 4 (b) Adjustment of Status.—If Yevgeniya
- 5 Dobrovolska or Mykola Dobrovolskyy enters the United
- 6 States before the filing deadline specified in subsection (c),
- 7 he or she shall be considered to have entered and remained
- 8 lawfully and shall, if otherwise eligible, be eligible for ad-
- 9 justment of status under section 245 of the Immigration
- 10 and Nationality Act as of the date of the enactment of
- 11 this Act.
- 12 (c) Deadline for Application and Payment of
- 13 FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-
- 14 plication for issuance of an immigrant visa or the applica-
- 15 tion for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate fees
- 16 within 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act.
- 17 (d) Reduction of Immigrant Visa Number.—
- 18 Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent res-
- 19 idence to Yevgeniya Dobrovolska and Mykola
- 20 Dobrovolskyy, the Secretary of State shall instruct the
- 21 proper officer to reduce by 2, during the current or next
- 22 following fiscal year, the total number of immigrant visas
- 23 that are made available to natives of the country of the
- 24 aliens' birth under section 203(a) of the Immigration and
- 25 Nationality Act or, if applicable, the total number of immi-

- 1 grant visas that are made available to natives of the coun-
- 2 try of the aliens' birth under section 202(e) of such Act.
- 3 (e) Denial of Preferential Immigration
- 4 Treatment for Certain Relatives.—The natural
- 5 parents, brothers, and sisters of Yevgeniya Dobrovolska
- 6 and Mykola Dobrovolskyy shall not, by virtue of such rela-
- 7 tionship, be accorded any right, privilege, or status under
- 8 the Immigration and Nationality Act.

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